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DIXON, ILLINOIS, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1920

PRICE THREE CENTS

## GREATER DIXON MEETING TO BE HELD TUESDAY

## Reorganization Ban- quet for New Cham- ber of Commerce.

On Tuesday evening Dixon citizens will meet together in a big banquet and mass meeting to be held under the auspices of the Dixon Chamber of Commerce. All Dixon men are invited. Banquet reservations should be made with Charles Miller, Exalted Ruler of the Elks, at Boynton-Riehards store on or before Sunday. Dinner will be served at 6:30 in the club banquet rooms.

### Reorganization Meeting

Reorganization and a new life for the Dixon Chamber of Commerce is the object of the meeting. With a feeling that Dixon's future is entirely dependent upon the spirit and action of our citizens, the committee on reorganization of the Chamber of Commerce has called this meeting to put before the men of Dixon the problems that confront the city and the possibilities for development and growth that await only concerted civic action to make them actual.

It is with a firm conviction that Dixon can be enormously benefitted by the exertion of civic energy and with strong faith in the spirit and ability of Dixon's citizens, that the committee calls upon Dixonites to meet together Tuesday evening and decide what action should be taken regarding the guidance of the city's future progress.

### Other Cities Grow

Cities larger and smaller than Dixon all over the nation are growing rapidly and are growing despite handicaps that are no greater than any that may be checking Dixon's development. Great industries are spreading out with new factories—small industries are growing into big ones and cities everywhere are benefiting thereby. In the words of one Dixon man, "While lightning is striking, let's send up a kite."

Dixon may easily secure her rightful share of the growth and prosperity of the nation. All we need in Dixon is a more unified and more harmonious civic spirit, properly directed.

### The Best Foundation

An effort to better this city has at the start the most favorable ground-work to build on. Transportation conditions are ideal. On the main line of the Chicago & Northwestern, on the Illinois Central direct from the coal fields, we have direct north and south and east and west connections. The north and south railroads taps several more main lines east and west rail lines.

The Lincoln Highway will be more valuable in years to come than we realize at present, when it is paved from ocean to ocean and is a trunk line for coast to coast overland truck freighters. We are on the most beautiful river in the central west. Our water, our sanitary conditions, our air and our living conditions are ideal. Our population is American, progressive, patriotic, and sensible. Our politics are clean and our city is well and decently conducted. Our churches and our school system and our schools may well be our pride. Our public spirit has never shown itself wanting in the past and we believe next Tuesday's meeting will show that it will measure up to the demands of the future.

Our own city of Dixon is unsurpassed in all the world as a place to live and work and rear our children and enjoy to the fullest the allotted years of life on earth. We of Dixon know all this. We know we have a city that should be attractive to outsiders. What we need to do is to convince outsiders, make it easy for them to come here, make room for them when they get here and help them develop as they help us develop.

Every man in Dixon, whether merely a property owner, or a worker or in business here, is vitally interested in seeing Dixon grow, because it means more prosperity for each. The Chamber of Commerce banquet should be attended by every citizen, and will be attended by every citizen, and will be attended by every citizen.

Big things are planned and hoped for from this meeting. A newly organized Chamber of Commerce, a clean slate and a new start toward a bigger Dixon is the program. It will be up to the citizens at this meeting to make it what they will. Come to that meeting.

### HAD BUT ONE DIME.

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Chicago, Feb. 19.—James E. Sawhill, for whose arrest a warrant is said to have been issued at Peoria, where he is said to be short \$108,000 in his accounts as head of an investment concern, went to Peoria with only a dime in his pockets and organized his \$150,000 company, according to an interview with Sawhill, printed by the Herald and Examiner.

Sawhill, the paper says, was found in a Chicago hotel.

Michael Full, of Sublette, underwent operations on the nose and throat recently at the Dixon hospital.

## THREE INQUIRE ABOUT SALE OF STARIN PROPERTY

Owner Will Make No  
Announcement of  
Plans Now.

## DIXON POLICE WERE OF TRAIL OF STOLEN AUTOMOBILE TODAY

## Machine, Taken in Moline Last Evening, is Sought.

Mrs. Eleanor Starin arrived from Chicago last evening, and conferred with her attorneys relative to the destruction of the opera house by fire Tuesday afternoon. This morning her attorney stated that Mrs. Starin had no statement to make at this time as to the future of the property, and no action would be taken until after the insurance adjusters, who are expected this afternoon, have completed their investigations.

The attorney admitted that three inquiries had been received relative to the future of the property. Two of these were from outside parties, one of whom is believed to be planning a play house. One inquiry has been made by local parties.

The ruins still smoldered this morning and one line of hose was in readiness throughout the night and today to extinguish fires which broke out at intervals in the different sections of the basement. The debris had cooled to such an extent as to permit former tenants in the block to enter the line which was stretched yesterday, to prevent sight seers from possibly injury.

Walter Cromwell, who conducted an electric shop in the Todd hat store, found a few articles from his stock in the basement after digging in the debris. Some of these had been damaged only by the heat and water and after being cleaned will be usable.

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**Sails to Arrange to Bring Dead Back**

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Washington, Feb. 19.—Ralph A. Hayes sailed today from New York to investigate conditions on the battlefields of Europe in connection with the work of bringing back the bodies of American soldiers. Mr. Hayes, who was commissioned for the work by the war department said that of the 77,000 American soldiers buried abroad more than 25 per cent would not be brought back because relatives have expressed a desire that they be not disinterred.

**Hoberg Beats Chad Woodyatt in Match**

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Berlin, Feb. 18.—(Delayed)—Gratification that the entente powers had recognized German's contention relative to the physical impossibility of surrendering men accused of violation of the laws of war was expressed today by a foreign office official. He said that it was inevitable that international chaos would result from such a step and declared the German cabinet's position was materially strengthened as the result of the decision reached by the supreme council in London.

**UNDERWENT OPERATIONS.**

Michael Full, of Sublette, underwent operations on the nose and throat recently at the Dixon hospital.

**Mrs. Geo. P. Ross' Funeral at Harmon**

By Associated Press Leased Wire

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**FOUR BURNED TO DEATH**

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Peoria, Feb. 19.—Oscar Williamson, a farmer residing three miles from here near Mossville, and his three children were burned to death when the family home there was destroyed by fire early this morning, reports received here say.

**LOCAL TEMPERATURE**

The range of the local temperature for the 24 hours ending this morning was from 3 to 22 degrees above zero.

## WEATHER.

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**Wilson Goes to His Desk at 9:30 Daily**

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Washington, Feb. 19.—President Wilson has improved so much. Dr. Grayson, his physician said today, that he goes to work at his desk in his study every morning at half past nine. Dr. Grayson said the president had not yet resumed using his typewriter, but that he probably would do so soon.

**ARE RECOVERING.**

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Hall are recovering from the influenza.

**AT DIXON HOSPITAL.**

William Oester, of West Brooklyn, is a patient in the Dixon hospital.

## WILL PERFECT SHIPPERS' ASSN. TOMORROW P. M.

## Meeting Will Be Held at Court House in This City.

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A meeting of the members of the Lee County Shippers' association, for the purpose of perfecting a permanent organization, electing officers and adopting constitution and by-laws will be held in the office of County Superintendent of Schools L. W. Miller in the Court House at 1:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The meeting has been called by W. W. Welch, temporary president and Jos. Nicholson, temporary secretary, and is held in this city to accommodate shippers from the east end of the county, thus enabling them to come and go by train. Every farmer who is interested in getting the best prices for his products is asked to attend.

The suggestion that the people of the United States should celebrate one week in the year as loyalty week meets my hearty approval. I commend it to the favorable consideration of every patriotic citizen of Illinois. What week so fitting for this purpose as that which begins on Washington's birthday? It would be an auspicious inauguration of the week if in every church and in every school the ideals of Washington's farewell address were to be proclaimed and magnified. No man in the history of the world ever left a more priceless heritage to his countrymen than this.

Justice Bailey said that after a careful examination of the statutes he was of the opinion that they did not show an intention on the part of congress to place in the president or in the shipping board the power to sell the ships.

The purpose of a shippers' association as stated in the proposed constitution is "To obtain reasonable prices, and to secure the best possible results in the marketing of livestock and farm products.

Briefly, the plan is to sell stock cooperatively, and the returns of sale are sent to the manager and distributed, all expenses including a small local commission being pro rated. The plan has worked with complete success where tried.

The chief communicated with the Moline police over long distance telephone where he was notified that the car was stolen last evening. Descriptions of the car and its occupants were telephoned to DeKalb, Rochelle, Ashton and Franklin Grove in an effort to apprehend the thieves before they could reach Chicago.

**Peoria Man Faces Charge of Getting Away with \$108,000**

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Peoria, Feb. 19.—James E. Sawhill, former president of the Corn Belt Investment Co., of Peoria, is expected to return here today to face the charge of embezzlement. He is now with a representative of a bonding company in Chicago endeavoring to raise funds to meet the shortage.

Assistant State Attorney Murphy this morning said that the sum involved in Sawhill's fraudulent bond transactions would reach fully \$108,000. The warrant against him charges that he obtained \$2883.50 from County Judge Suey of Monmouth, Ill., to purchase Santa Fe, Illinois Central and Pullman company stocks. He is said to have appropriated the money to his own use.

Sawhill, attorneys say, does not disclaim a shortage but avers it will not reach more than \$11,000. He claims he cannot be criminally prosecuted for other bond transactions which are said to be fraudulent.

At the offices of the Corn Belt Investment company here today it was said that Sawhill had telephoned from Chicago that he had sent his resignation as president of the company.

The Gazette adds that it is stated that Mr. Davison has met with the greatest encouragement and welcome both in England and France.

**Davison Promoting Financial Interests**

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Feb. 19.—The promoting of important financial and commercial enterprises is the object of the present visit to Europe by Henry P. Davison of J. P. Morgan & Co., according to the Pall Mall Gazette today.

Two plans are to be promoted by Mr. Davison in Europe, the newspaper declares. The first is for the establishment of a great money combine with the object of financing great national and private enterprises in Europe, the Gazette asserts, while the second is the establishment of a great international trading company backed by the resources of the Morgan house and the Guaranty Trust company.

Under the projected plan, says the newspaper, American banks would enter a great money combine for financing enterprises to supply necessities occasioned by the war.

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**America's Part in Feeding World Shown**

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Washington, Feb. 19.—America's part in feeding the war stricken nations of Europe is shown in the reports of the department of commerce today which put the total wheat exports from the United States in 1919 at over 36,000,000 bushels more than the 1918 shipments.

During the past year the United States exported 148,088,470 bushels of wheat compared with 111,177,103 in 1918 according to the department's figures, representing an increase in value of over \$96,000,000. Wheat flour, however, advanced only by approximately 4,500,000 barrels over the 1918 export total. England led as a market for American wheat in 1919.

The annual town meeting will take place at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The caucusing board will meet not later than April 11, under the law.

Dates, leading up to the township elections as furnished by the township clerk, Frank D. Palmer, and that have particular bearing on that balloting are:

March 22, last day for filing nomination papers.

March 24, last day for withdrawal of names.

March 30, supervisors to file statements of finances with town clerk.

Specimen ballots and cards of instruction to be delivered to judges of election for posting not later than April 1.

April 3, official ballots to be in township clerk's possession. Ballots to be given to judges and clerks of election not later than 7 p.m., April 5.

April 6, election.

**Chicago Union Men Want \$1.25 an Hour**

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Feb. 19.—Thirty-three unions comprising the Chicago building trades council are preparing to demand \$1.25 an hour for their members, instead of the \$1 rate adopted last fall, union officials announced today.

The announcement followed close after the declaration of the Associated General Contractors convention yesterday that a building program aggregating six billion dollars during the coming year was being held back by high prices of materials and the increasing cost of labor.

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She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. McCaffrey of Palmyra, one brother at home, and her husband, who is also ill and receiving treatment at the hospital. The funeral arrangements have not been completed and will be announced tomorrow.

**Mrs. Oliver Harms Died Last**

## Today's Market Report (By Associated Press Leased Wire.)

### DAY'S RANGE ON CHICAGO BOARD

	Open	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
CORN—May	1.32	1.3414	1.3175	1.3375	1.3275
July	1.29	1.31	1.2834	1.3034	1.2925
Sept.	1.2614	1.2814	1.26	1.2814	1.2814
OATS—May	79 1/4	80 3/4	79 1/4	80 3/4	79 1/4
July	72	73 1/4	72	73	72
PORK—May	34.90	34.90	34.75	34.75	34.75
July	21.42	21.42	21.25	21.50	21.37
LARD—May	21.42	21.42	21.25	21.50	21.37
July	21.87	21.76	21.77	21.82	21.82
RIBS—May	18.55	18.47	18.55	18.55	18.55
July	19.05	18.95	19.05	19.05	19.05

### Strength Shown in Corn Market Today

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Feb. 19.—Strength developed in the corn market today after some speculative selling which took place at the opening had exhausted its force. Continued scantiness of receipts gave an advantage to the bulls and so too did higher quotations on hogs. Commission houses were the principal buyers. The opening, which varied from the same as yesterday's finish to 3¢ lower, with May 1.32 to 1.32 1/4 and July 1.29 to 1.29 1/4 was followed by a slight further sag and then by moderate gains all around.

**Oats** rallied with corn. Reports of eastern purchases of Canadian oats had but little if any bearish effect. After opening 1/4¢ off to a like advance, including May at 79 1/4 to 80¢, the market scored a general upturn.

Falling off in demand for meats left the provision market weak. An advance in hog values failed to act as more than a temporary stimulus.

Improvement in eastern shipping conditions helped later to increase bullish sentiment. The close was firm 1/4¢ to 2 1/4¢ net higher, with May 1.33 1/4 to 1.34 and July 1.30 1/4 to 1.30 1/4.

### Chicago Livestock.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Feb. 19.—Hogs receipts 30,600; light hogs 25¢ higher; others slow; bulk 13.85@14.75; top 15.05;

heavy 13.65@14.20; medium 14.20@14.45; light 14.50@14.90; light light 14.00@14.50; heavy packing sows, smooth 12.00@13.25; packing sows, rough 12.00@12.50; pigs 13.25@14.25.

Cattle receipts 11,000; steady. Beef steers, medium and heavy weight: choice and prime 14.00@16.25; medium and good, 11.50@14.00; common, 9.00@11.50. Lightweight, good and choice 12.00@15.25; common and medium 8.50@12.00. Butcher cattle halves 6.50@13.00; cows 6.50@11.75; calves and cutters 5.00@6.50. Veal calves 15.75@17.25. Feeder steers 7.50@11.50. Stocker steers 6.75@10.25.

Sheep receipts 7000; strong. Lambs \$1 down 18.00@21.25; culs and common 14.50@17.75. Ewes medium, good and choice 11.00@14.00; culs and common 6.00@10.75.

### Chicago Cash Grain.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Feb. 19.—Rye No. 2 1.57@1.58 1/2; barley 1.32@1.35; Timothy seed 12.00@14.00; clover seed 45.00@59.00; Pork nominal. Lard 20.30; ribs 17.50@18.50.

Corn No. 2 mixed 1.42@1.43; No. 3 mixed 1.38; No. 6 mixed 1.38@1.40; No. 3 yellow 1.46@1.47; No. 4 yellow 1.41@1.42 1/2; No. 5 yellow 1.39@1.40 1/2; No. 3 white 1.51@1.52; No. 4 white 1.48@1.49; sample grade 1.34. Oats No. 1 white 87 1/4@88 1/4; No. 2 white 17@88. No. 3 white 86 1/2@87 1/2; No. 4 white 84 1/2@85.

### Chicago Produce.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Feb. 19.—Potatoes weak; receipts 30 cars; northern white sacked and bulk 4.30@4.50. Butter higher; creamery 50¢@64. Eggs lower; receipts 12,320 cases; firsts 53; ordinary firsts 45@50; at mark cases included 50@52. Poultry alive unchanged.

### New York Liberty Bonds.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

New York, Feb. 19.—Prices of Liberty Bonds at 2:55 p. m. today were: 3 1/2% 96.00; first 4 9.30; second 4 6.10; first 4 1/2 9.20; second 4 1/2 9.64; third 4 1/2 9.20; fourth 4 1/2 9.75; Victory 3 1/2 97.70; Victory 4 1/2 97.75.

### Wall Street Close.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

American Beet Sugar 81. American Can, 44. American Car & Foundry 1.29%. American Locomotive 91%. American Smelting & Ref'g 62.

Regular 60 black tea, trial order at pound ..... 40¢

Genuine blended coffee, regular 50¢ quality, 1/2 lb. pkg. ..... 21¢

Small cans Hebe milk, 4 for ..... 25¢

Tall cans Hebe milk, 2 for ..... 18¢

Best granulated sugar, lb. ..... 18¢

Hens' soda crackers, lb. ..... 18¢

Sambo P. C. flour, 2 for ..... 25¢

Sun Kist seedless raisins, pkg. ..... \$1

Our unbleached crash, 5 yds Men's grey jersey gloves, 7 pr. ..... \$1

Men's canvas gloves, 9 pair Children's knit waists, 4 for. ..... \$1

Coats' crochet cotton, 7 for Clark's crochet cotton, 9 for. ..... \$1

6-in. white plates, 12 for Gold edge cup and saucers, 4 for. ..... \$1

No. 3 cans tomatoes, 6 for. ..... \$1

No. 3 cans pork and beans, 8 for. ..... \$1

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NOTICE. Dr. A. F. Moore's office will be in his house, 121 E. First St., until further notice.

RETURNED TO MADISON. Mrs. Charles Reynolds returned to Madison, Wis., on Monday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dement.

Highest market price paid for chickens and dressed seal. Phone 13.412 CITY MEAT MARKET.

If you want a man on the farm, try our Want Ads. A 25 word ad will cost you 50 cents for one insertion. If you want a man on the farm, try our Want Ads. A 25 word ad will cost you 50 cents for one insertion. If you want a man on the farm, try our Want Ads. A 25 word ad will cost you 50 cents for one insertion.

Many Changes Made In Soviet Methods; Martens Testifies

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Jersey City, N. J., Feb. 19.—Many changes have been made in the original methods and laws of the Russian Soviet government. Ludwig C. A. K. Martens, its agent in the United States testified today before the Senate committee investigating Bolshevik propaganda in the United States.

Among other things he said priests and clergymen can now vote and press censorship has been abolished.

Groups which criticize the Soviet are tolerated and allowed to maintain newspapers, he added.

Wade Ellis, counsel for the committee, questioned Martens on the basis of many documents and printed articles of Soviet leaders. Martens said objections against religion expressed by Soviet writers were personal and that the only object of Soviet government was "to make religion."

The witness admitted that after the Soviet government had offered to stop revolutionary propaganda in the United States and other countries, Lenin had written open letters urging revolt of the "proletariat" and that the third International at Moscow had urged destruction of all governments recognizing capital.

John Lovegreen went to Ada, Minn., on Monday to look after his farming interests.

Shiftell and Pomeroy shipped a car load of stock to Chicago Monday evening. A. W. Shiftell accompanied the shipment.

T. A. Curnow, of Kewanee, general agent for the Peoria Life Insurance Co., was a business caller in town on Tuesday.

V. R. Pomeroy went to Chicago on Wednesday morning, returning Friday evening.

Relatives here received word last week that Mrs. Nellie McGopigle Albers had passed away at her home in Kansas. Mrs. Albers was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James McGonigle, former residents of this place and has many friends here who will be grieved to learn of her death.

P. D. Fitzpatrick and family moved their household goods to Arlington last week where they will make their home.

Charles E. Keyes was in Iowa Wednesday on business.

C. E. Arnould, of Franklin Grove, was a Dixon caller this morning.

Mrs. John Wadsworth, of South Dixon, was a Wednesday shopper.

Miss Isabelle Bogue went to Chicago this morning in the interests of the Hess millinery.

A. M. Clapp, advertising manager of The Sterling Gazette, was a caller in Dixon last evening.

Bert Green is again at the O. H. Martin store after a few days' illness from a cold.

J. S. Newcomer, of Eldora, Ia., spent today in Dixon on business.

Mrs. Burhart has returned from Amboy where she has been caring for influenza patients for the past month.

Lee Fissell was here Wednesday from Franklin Grove.

Arthur Morris, of Franklin Grove, was in Dixon Tuesday.

The Emil Krug family are moving this week to Mendota.

Miss Mulkins was in Chicago yesterday in the interests of her millinery store.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Kelsey have returned to their home in Rockford. They came to Dixon to attend the funeral of the child of Mrs. Kelsey's brother, Charles Bush.

Three Dead, Four Injured, in Fire

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Philadelphia Feb. 19.—Three are reported burned to death and four others injured in a fire today which destroyed the Salvation Army Hotel at Wrightstown N. J. near Camp Dix. A number of sick service men were removed to the Camp Dix hospital.

The flames spread to other buildings but firemen from nearby towns prevented a general conflagration.

Hope to Introduce Irish Bill Friday

London Feb. 19.—Andrew Bonar Law the government spokesman stated in the house of commons today that it was hoped to introduce the Irish home rule bill tomorrow.

The second reading of the bill he added would be taken as soon as the house had had time to digest the bill.

CONVENTION RECESSES Springfield, Ill., Feb. 19.—The Illinois Constitutional Convention today adjourned until Wednesday, Feb. 25.

ATTY. BARGE TO SIBERIA. Attorney Charles Barge, formerly of Dixon, has left for Siberia, via Vancouver. He will spend three months in the north Russian country closing up Red Cross work.

DANVILLE BOY IN TROUBLE. Chicago, Feb. 19.—Wilbur Lawrence aged 22, of Danville, Ill., was arrested here last night, charged with issuing bad checks and police are hunting for Miss Edna L. Miller with whom he is said to have eloped from Danville recently. The girl disappeared from her hotel while police were arresting Lawrence at a store where he had just purchased a \$100 ring for her.

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Kramer's 5c 10c & 25c Store The Store of Real Bargains

### Wilde is Satisfied with His Condition

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Jersey City, N. J., Feb. 19.—Jimmy Wilde, of England, world's flyweight boxing champion, will engage in his first contest in the east tonight against Mickey Russell, a local bantamweight. Wilde declared he was not satisfied with his own showing in his three bouts in the middle west. "I am now thoroughly acclimated," he said, "and ready for as good a fight as I ever fought." The Englishman expects to weigh 167 pounds ringside and concedes about ten pounds.

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Plans are being perfected to organize an American Legion Post here in the near future.

Several candidates were initiated into the Knights of Columbus council Sunday afternoon. A banquet, served in the opera house, followed. Several members were present from Medina and Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kreiger will begin housekeeping soon on the C. A. Balcom farm south

# Society

**Thursday**  
St. Agnes' Guild—Miss Bess Eells, 405 Madison Ave.  
Christian Aid Society—Mrs. Olive Shumard, 519 Depot Ave.  
M. W. A.—Miller Hall.

**Friday**  
W. C. T. U. Frances Willard Memorial—Grace U. Evangelical Church.

K. L. C. E. Washington Social—Grace Evangelical Church.

Organization Meeting of Young Woman's Missionary Society—Parsonage of St. Paul's Lutheran Church.

Thursday Reading Circle Banquet—Mrs. William Stark.

St. Ann's Guild—St. Luke's Episcopal Church.

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**WILLARD MEMORIAL SERVICE**

At the Frances Willard Memorial service, to be held by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union Friday afternoon at 2:30, at the Grace Evangelical church, and to which the public is invited, the following program will be given:

Music.

Scripture Reading and Prayer.

Responses to Roll Call—Quotations from what Frances E. Willard said.

Address by Leader, "Why a Frances E. Willard Memorial Fund," Mrs. Herman Missman.

Article, Dividends from Our 1919 Investment in the Frances E. Willard Memorial Fund—Miss Callie Morgan.

Cocal Duet—Mesdames H. A. Ahrens and Kirby Reed.

Reading, Scouting in Moonshine Country—Mrs. Ida Tetrick.

Address of the Afternoon, Life of Frances E. Willard—Mrs. M. D. Richardson.

Offering for Memorial Fund.

Piano Duet—The Misses Sullivan.

Original Poem—Mrs. Marion Maben.

Benediction.

**FOR MISS CLARK**

The cozy home of Mrs. Eli Lloyd, of West Second street, was the scene on Wednesday afternoon of a very pleasant gathering in honor of a bride-to-be, Miss Helen Clark. The afternoon was passed in conversation and the enjoyment of Victoria music until the guests were ushered into the dining room where a delicious two-course luncheon was served. The dining room was attractively decorated in a color scheme of purple and white. The table centerpiece was a representation of the bride's future home, a tiny bungalow, carefully guarded by a collie watch dog, while chickens, ducks, and geese were in evidence. Farther in the background was the barn, surrounded by other domestic animals. Over the center of the table a purple and white umbrella containing a miscellany of beautiful gifts, was hung. From the inverted umbrella a white wedding bell was suspended and streamers extended from it to the four corners of the table where covers were laid for twelve.

**READING CIRCLE BANQUET**

The Thursday Reading Circle will hold its annual banquet on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Stark. The members of the club and their families will have supper at 7 o'clock and a musical program will follow. Groups of songs will be given by Mrs. Lee Read and Robert Anderson, Miss Frances Ackert will give some piano selections, and readings will be given by Mrs. Charles Floto.

**PLEASURE CLUB DANCE**

Between seventy-five and eighty couple attended the dancing party given by the Individual Pleasure club on Monday evening in Rosbrook hall. The affair, reviving the activities of the club which had ceased during the war, was most delightful and all who attended hope that the club will continue the parties from time to time. Many of the guests were from Sterling, Harmon, and Amboy.

**VISITED IN ROCK ISLAND**

Mrs. Edward Blackburne has returned home from a month's visit in Rock Island with her sister, Mrs. A. H. Leh. Mrs. Blackburne was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Agnes Hutton, who will spend a few days here.

**FRUIT FROM FLORIDA**

Mrs. S. E. Huggins, of this city, who is spending the winter in Florida.

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**GLESSNER BROS.**

ELDENA, ILLINOIS

# Sister Mary's Kitchen

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Mere everyday cooking is really the knowledge of certain laws of chemistry. The recipe for a cake amounts to the same thing as a formula of chemistry.

Every food has elements that act in certain ways on other food, producing chemical changes. The action of sour milk and soda is a simple example. Soda is an alkali and when brought in contact with sour milk, which is an acid, the alkali neutralizes the acid. In any such change takes place, effecting always a physical change and nearly always a chemical change.

As a chemist must know how one substance will act on another, so must a cook know how one food will act on another. The health of her family depends on her knowledge.

**Menu for Tomorrow.**

BREAKFAST—Orange juice, uncooked breakfast food, griddle cakes, syrup, coffee.

LUNCHEON — Kedgeree, stewed tomatoes, whole wheat popovers, marinade, tea.

DINNER—Sirloin steak, mashed potatoes, Brussels sprouts, hearts of lettuce, sponge cake pudding, coffee.

**My Own Recipes.**

Fresh maple syrup will soon be in market, but if one's supply has run low, a very good syrup can be made by using brown sugar and Karo syrup. Karo syrup has little sweetening so by adding one-half cup of brown sugar to 1 cup of syrup and bringing the whole to a boil a good sweet syrup will be the result.

**KEDGEREE.**

1 cup cold cooked fish, 1 hard boiled egg, 2 tablespoons butter,  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup milk,  $\frac{3}{4}$  cup boiled rice.

Paprika, Salt and pepper.

Divide fish into flakes, removing all skin and bones. Chop white of egg into coarse pieces. Melt butter in a sauce pan, add milk, rice, white of egg and fish and seasoning. Heat and mix well. Serve in a mound with the yolk of the egg rice over the top.

**WHOLE WHEAT POPOVERS.**

$\frac{3}{4}$  cup whole wheat flour, 1-3 cup flour,  $\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoon salt, 1 egg, 1 teaspoon melted butter.

Mix salt and flour with whole wheat flour. Add milk slowly making a smooth batter. Beat egg until light and add to mixture. Add melted butter and beat 2 minutes. Pour into hot buttered gem pans and bake 30 minutes in a hot oven.

**SPONGE CAKE PUDDING.**

Left over sponge cake, Raspberry or strawberry jam, 1 egg,

2 cups milk, 1 tablespoon flour, 2 tablespoons sugar, 1-8 teaspoon saff, Nutmeg.

Cake in pieces one-half inch thick, spread with jam and line a baking dish with them. Beat egg, sugar and flour and salt together. Scald milk and slowly pour onto egg mixture, stirring constantly. Pour custard over cake and bake in a slow oven till set, about 30 minutes.

**Any apple is a windfall now.**

**WEEK-END IN POLO**

Mrs. A. Hamilton and daughters, Jean and Cecile have returned from a week-end visit in Polo at the Frank Gilbert home.

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**ST. ANN'S GUILD**  
St. Ann's Guild will meet Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at St. Luke's church.

**ENTERTAINED TEA CLUB**  
Mrs. Henry Noble entertained the Tea Club on Tuesday afternoon.

**GUEST FROM S. DAKOTA**  
Frank Callahan, of Frederick, S. D., is a guest of Charles Russell.

**Dr. Robbins Will Attend Meetings**

Dr. C. A. Robbins of this city, Deputy Grand Master of the Odd Fellows of Illinois will go to Rock Island the latter part of the week to be present with other officers in a large adoption. Saturday evening, the grand officers of the state will confer the third degree upon a class of 300 candidates at the Illinois theatre. The entire day will be observed with receptions for the state officers and delegations from many cities throughout the state and Iowa are expected to attend.

**KERENSKY ARRESTED?**  
By Associated Press Leased Wire

London, Feb. 18.—Alexander Kerensky, the former Russian premier, whose regime was overthrown by the Bolsheviks in November, 1917, has been imprisoned in the Caucasus, according to a central news dispatch from Copenhagen, quoting the Estonian newspaper Varandas. The message declares that Kerensky recently proceeded to the Caucasus on board a British steamer for the purpose of inducing the population to promise their support to the Russian democratic center party.

**MUST FIND USE FOR GRAPES**

Washington—With the advent of prohibition, uses and market must be found for the product of 175,000 acres of wine vineyards in California and also for the considerable portions of table and raisin varieties of grapes that formerly were made into brandy. At least 4000 cars of fresh wine grapes were shipped into the eastern states and made into so-called non-alcoholic wines and grape syrup last season. A large quantity of unfermented juices was made in California, barrelled and shipped east.

**SUBSTITUTING FOR TEACHER.**

Mrs. Mahlon Forsythe is substituting in the sixth grade of the North Junior school in the absence of Miss Stiles, the regular teacher, who is ill or on vacation.

**BANKS OBSERVE HOLIDAY.**

In accordance with the usual custom, the four banks of Dixon will be closed all day Monday in honor of Washington's birthday.

E. M. Goodsell was in Polo yesterday on business.

**WEDS GRANDSON OF J. P. MORGAN**



**Mrs. Laurens Hamilton**

New York—Mrs. Gertrude Warren was recently wed to Laurens Morgan Hamilton. Hamilton is her third husband. She is very good looking and won a beauty prize in St. Louis several years ago. Hamilton is a grandson of the late J. P. Morgan and the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Pierson Hamilton. His new bride is 34, while he is but 20.

**WORK FOR 6,000,000.**

By Associated Press Leased Wire Washington, Feb. 19.—Employment has been found for more than 6,000 men and women by the United States employment service since its organization in January, 1918. Director General Densmore announced today in a summary of the work of the bureau.

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# Church

**ST. LUKE'S LENTEN SERVICES BEGINNING**

Lenten services, for which the program follows, began yesterday, Ash Wednesday, at St. Luke's Episcopal church:

**Mondays**

7:30 p. m.—Evening Prayer and Devotional Address.

**Wednesdays**

7:30 p. m.—Litany and Bible Class.

**Thursdays**

10:00 a. m.—Holy Communion.

**Fridays**

7:30 p. m.—Devotions and Lectures on Confirmation, the Church and the Prayer Book.

**Tuesdays**

7:30 p. m.—Holy Week.

**Good Friday**

Three Hour Service, 12:00 to 3:00 p. m.

**Saturday**

in Holy Week—

7:30 p. m.—Preparation Service.

**Sundays**

Service as usual.

**Thursday, March 18th**, the Rector will preach in St. Paul's Church, Chicago.

**Friday, March 5th**, the Rev. Fred G. Budding of St. Peter's church, Chicago, will preach at the 7:30 p. m.

service.

**Easter Services**  
8:30 a. m.—Celebration of the Holy Communion.

9:30 a. m.—Sunday School.

10:30 a. m.—Morning Service and Holy Communion with Easter Sermon.

REV. H. M. BABIN, Rector.

**Appreciate Aid of Dixon Folks**

Sterling Gazette: Rev. A. Gordon Fowkes, who has been assistant to Bishop Weller, in the cathedral at Fond du Lac, Wis., and who has been called as rector of Grace church, this city, will arrive Friday and preach his first sermon in the local church Sunday morning. Members of the church highly appreciate the services of Rev. Babin of Dixon, soloist and Clinton Fahreyn, pianist.

**PROPERTY TRANSFERS**

Joseph E. Henry to Henry J. Lips wd \$21,500 lot 1, 2, 3 and 4 blk 7 Rich mond's add Sublette.

H. C. Reed to William F. Janssen wd \$2300 pt blk 8 Nelson and st ad.

Anna E. Eells to Elwood K. Orr wd \$1 pt lot 2 blk 58 Dixon.

Charles H. Steeley to

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## BUILDING SHIPS.

The refusal the other day of the United States Shipping Board to accept a neat little government appropriation of \$125,000,000 is not only unique in these days of reckless spending of the public's money, but it brings to the fore the facts of America's wonderful leap into the business of making ships.

In the past two or three months there has been a very careful accounting in the shipping board's affairs. The personnel of the force has been reduced, a number of wartime departments consolidated and on top of it all, the board has received a total of about \$100,000,000 as rent for government vessels that have made many and profitable voyages during the past year.

All this puts the shipping board on a peace basis. In April, 1917, when the board was organized, there were 61 shipyards in the United States with 234 ways engaged in building. In November, 1919, when the armistice was signed, there were 223 yards with 1122 ways.

In 1917, the United States launched 106 ships, totaling 708,970 deadweight tons; in 1918 the number was 812 ships of 4,344,126 deadweight tonnage, and 1919 there were launched 1065 ships with tonnage of 5,982,277.

There remains of the war construction program 534 ships of 3,661-767 deadweight tonnage to be completed and delivered prior to August, 1920.

Eighteen ships were constructed in Japan for a tonnage of 146,323. All these activities and the taking over of the German and Austrian ships gives the United States a merchant fleet in deadweight tonnage of 8,700,912 steel ships, 1,799,123 wooden ships, 63,000 compositet, 10,000 concrete, or a total tonnage of 10,573,040, excluding 3,661,767 to be completed in 1920.

## CHANCE TO INVEST.

The Inter-Stellar Rapid Transit Co. (quite unlimited) may shortly announce an issue of stock.

Dr. Robert H. Goddard, inventor of the multiple explosion rocket by which it is thought contact with the moon may be established, proposes a popular subscription fund of \$50,000 or \$100,000 to develop the air and other ways to the satellite.

The gentleman who sold the Paris subway system and London Bridge and that other ambitious financier who located a polar ice depot on a Dakota farmer's acreage, will be no less interested in Inter-Stellar Rapid Transit than those folks whom Barnum said come into the world at the rate of 60 each hour.

However, the people who still must mortgage their seal skins and automobiles to purchase beefsteak and cereal may never have an opportunity to "get in on the ground floor" of this proposition that must "eventually soar by leaps and bounds," transcending even blue sky laws. Consider the chap who paid a comet discoverer \$50,000 recently to act as godfather and namesake for the celestial newcomer. No "Cautious Investor" and "Inexperienced," no, this stock will not be for such as you. Stick to your oil and your punctureless tires and new-fangled fast mail pouch catchers and let Inter-Stellar for those who can afford to invest in notoriety, even honor, without regard to profits.

## THE GLADSMORE SPRING.

Spring is, take it from Tennyson, "the boyhood of the year."

Mrs. Barblaud, being a woman, naturally enough recognizes the season as the "sweet daughter of a rough and stormy sire, hoar winter's blooming child, delightful spring."

But be it the boyhood or the girlhood, of the year, spring is spring, and there is nothing else in all the calendar to equal it, for

spring is promise, and hope, the threshold to bright days, happy days. It is, as Leigh Hunt so finely put it, "the golden line drawn between winter and summer. Behind all is blackness and darkness and dissolution. Before is hope and soft airs, and the flowers, and the sweet season of hay."

It is good to be alive in the springtime of the year!

## LIFE'S HANDICAPS.

Blindness is regarded by most persons as a crushing affliction, sapping one's courage and ambitions and killing opportunity.

But not so with Clyde Hagans, violinist extraordinary, of Liberty Center, O. This affliction was the incentive which spurred Hagans to fit himself to take his place in the world.

Becoming blind before he was one year old, he never has known the beauties of the material things of life. But this did not discourage him. His ambition, his determination, his will power—his grit led him to greater heights than to go through life dependent on a cold world's charity or the proceeds of sales of shoestrings.

Clyde Hagans received his first instruction in the State School for the Blind at Columbus. He took up the study of instrumental music and graduated with highest honors. Then he took advanced courses of instruction, his latest teacher being a noted Belgian professor in New York.

"The struggle was long and hard," Hagans says. "But I determined that I would win. Each time I became discouraged or disappointed I resolved to try harder and buckled down to my work again. I would not be beaten by my handicap. My success means much more to me because it has been attained against great odds."

An Atlanta judge says a man has a right to kiss his stenographer. If he has a right to take his pen in hand, surely he has a right to take his typewriter in his arms.

All that keeps Russia's great stores of wheat from starving people in middle Europe is a handful of statesmen who think stubbornness wisdom.

Commission men think H. C. L. due to a shortage of refrigerator cars. That, and the shortage of officials with the courage to make it hot for big profiteers.

## JUST JOKING

## INDEPENDENCE

"John," said Mrs. Cluckpeck, "I want you to take your feet off that table."

"Mrs. Cluckpeck," he answered, "there is only one person who can talk that way to me."

"And who is that?" she demanded.

"You, my dear," replied John, putting his feet to rest on the floor.—Service Magazine.

## IRREVERENT SOLDIER

John Hall of Hutchinson, Kan., one of the soldiers now at Pittsburg, Kan., on account of the strike situation, says while "over there" last year he was shown an old church.

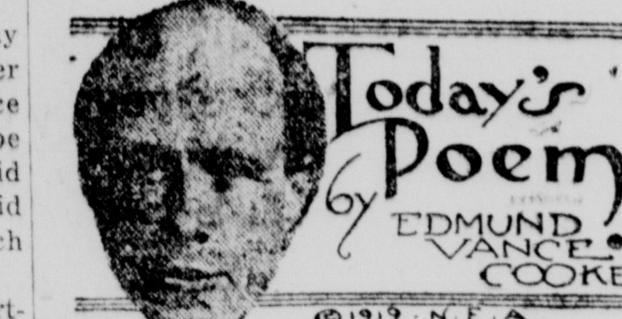
"A great many people sleep here," said the guide, showing the inscriptions in the floor.

"Same way in America," replied Hall. "Why don't they get a more interesting preacher?" — Stars and Stripes.

## MADE TO MEASURE

Mrs. Newrich—Don't you think, William, now that we are getting into society, that we should have a coat-of-arms?

Newrich—Certainly, my dear. I'll see my tailor about it tomorrow.—Boston Transcript.



## OUR DAILY BREAD.

"Give us this day our daily bread." "Man does not live by bread alone," But so his children may be fed, "Who asks for bread receives a stone!"

Who asks for bread receives a stone That he shall keep his sickle sharp Until the long-stemmed grain is grown And close as strings upon a harp.

And when the wheat is flailed and blown And gathered in its shifting mound, Who asks for bread receives a stone, For by the stone the grain is ground.

And when the grain is made to meal, Think you how bread was first made known. Where did its incense first appeal, But from the ancient hearth of stone?

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## THE BOYS IN THE OTHER CAR

BY GROVE



## SUCH IS LIFE

BY O. B. JOYFUL.

Three years ago there was delivered to a firm of cattle dealers at the Kansas City stockyards a puny maverick mule. A member of the firm called a stableman and said:

"Take that thing out and scrub it with hot water and soap. Anyone who would daub on a mule with shoe polish like that ought to have a pitch bit in his mouth the remainder of his days."

The mule was given a scrubbing.

The stableman brought him back and said:

"Boss them spots go clear on down through the hide into the interior regions and clean out on the other side. Washin' don't do no good. They're like the leopard's spots—they're there to stay as long as the mule does."

The spots and the mule remained at the stockyards and in some way the mule became possessed of the name of Zeb.

The twins had climbed to the very top of a telephone pole to listen.

I'll scrub up the children right away, for they've been playing in the dust pile and they're sights!"

"That's fine," exclaimed Sally Sparrow, in a pleased voice. "I've got a treat for you. Jake just sowed some white lettuce seed in the garden and then watered it, so hurry over before the sun dries it. Good-bye."

"Bzzz-zz-zz," went the wire, ringing off.

Then the twins climbed down the pole as quickly as they could and ran to the house. Next they ran into the garden with something and were ever so busy for awhile.

When Mr. and Mrs. Si Sparrow and family arrived, Mrs. Sally Sparrow was sitting up in a tree scolding for dear life; for right over the lettuce bed was an old wire window screen. No delicious seeds for them that day!

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an alligator that'll smile!

But Abe's alligator won't smile unless he's (the alligator, not Abe) tickled under the chin.

Which is probably the only way anybody can make any alligator grin. Try on the next gator you meet.

While on the "gator subject" it may be as well to call your attention to the neat and nifty way alligators have solved the high cost of living problem.

Mister Alligator quits eating in September, according to Abe White, and doesn't seem to feel the need of grub until June.

During the months alligators eat food prices are lowest. When the old food profligate costs of things, Mr. Alligator quits feeding.

Quite a simple method of knocking the high out of the cost of living, isn't it?

Homes and workshops must be clean and thoroughly ventilated. Dirt and impure air are the allies of tuberculosis.

Persons with colds or coughs of long standing or persons who are losing weight or strength should consult a doctor or go to a dispensary or clinic. It is dangerous to wait.

Careless spitting spreads the disease. Sick persons should burn their spit.

Though no one should ever sleep with a consumptive, a careful consumptive is not dangerous to those with whom he lives and works.

The large majority of people probably have had tuberculosis in their systems, but they do not become sick with it because they take good care of their general health and strength.

Always cover your mouth and nose with a handkerchief when you cough or sneeze and insist on other doing the same.

The best glass comes from Russia. It is made from the giant sturgeon, which inhabits the Caspian sea.

Nothin' upsets a little town like a dashin' stranger. You never know some people till you try t' talk t' em while they're readin'.

THE SPARROWS COME TO LUNCH

## ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barton

THE SPARROWS COME TO LUNCH

"Bzzz-zz-zz"

Nancy and Nick heard the telephone wire buzzing beside them. That meant Mr. and Mrs. Someone was calling Mr. and Mrs. Someone Else.

The twins had climbed to the very top of a telephone pole (green shoes helping, and magical mushroom guiding). They had an idea; and a very good one it was, although it never occurred to them that they were eavesdropping.

They had looked everywhere for Jocko, their monkey, and he was still missing. But they thought that if anyone far off had seen him, they would likely mention it to their friends on the telephone. So up they had climbed to listen.

"Hello!" It was Cynthia Sparrow's voice that answered the ring.

"Hello, Cynthia! This is Sally," came the other voice. "I called up to see if you and Si would bring the children over to lunch."

"Why, that real kind, Sally," said Cynthia. "I don't know but we can get so tarnel tired trying to scare up something for meals, I nearly go crazy.

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**FINE COSTUMES  
WILL BE SHOWN  
HERE THIS EVE**

**Lombards to Present  
Novel Program  
At Elks'.**

Extraordinary costumes, some of them imported from Japan, are a feature of the program of the Lombard Entertainers, a company consisting of Harry Lombard and Lola Fairchild Lombard, his wife, who appear at the Elks club this evening.

Other features are Chinese chimes, something never used on the lyceum platform before; a remarkable one-stringed 'cello and a gypsy campfire setting.

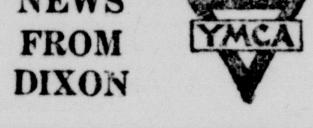
Costumed sketches from such popular operas as "The Bohemian Girl" and "The Fortune Teller" are striking features of a great program with songs, readings, whistling solos and pianoliques.

It is a program replete with good musical material given in an entertaining and delightful way.

Harry Lombard baritone, is known not only as a singer but also for his ability as a comedian of high rank. Mr. Lombard probably has few equals in musical comedy among lyceum artists. He has had long experience on the concert and operatic stage. For eight years he was baritone with the English Opera Co.

Lola Fairchild, formerly with the Fairchild Ladies Quartet, has a rich contralto voice and is also a dramatic reader and impersonator.

The Lombards will start their entertainment at 8:15 o'clock and at the conclusion of their part of the program dancing will be enjoyed until 12 o'clock. During the evening the house committee will serve refreshments, and in fact everything points to the biggest "Big League Night," the lodges have ever sponsored. The affair is for Elks, their ladies and members of their families who are over 15 years of age.



**VOLLEY BALL FEED.**

The two winning teams in the volleyball tournament, which was recently brought to a successful close, were entertained at a banquet last night at the "Y" by the two losing teams. The captains of the teams, Sutterlin and Potter, winners, and Wheeler and Wilson, losers, were seated at the head of the table where they received the jibes of the entire company. At the close of the banquet E. B. Raymond, as chairman of the physical department committee presided at a short business meeting at which the matter of forming a new volleyball league was discussed. It was decided to select four teams as evenly matched as possible and a committee was appointed with instructions to get busy at once, which they did and the teams selected are given below.

A committee was also appointed to select four captains and after deliberation this committee presented the names of Rawls, Schildberg, Leland and Babin and these men were elected as captains in the new tournament. The rules under which the old tournament was conducted will govern the new. It was also decided to have another banquet at the close of the tournament and that the three low teams would entertain the winning team. After the banquet the "gang" retired to the gym and played several hot games of volleyball. The teams selected by the committee are as follows:

**"Skypilots"—**

Rev. Babbin, captain; F. J. Sutterlin, Rev. Tibball, H. M. Hey, E. B. Raymond, M. R. Forsythe, Earl Miller, George Shaw, Dr. R. L. Evans, Elmer Rice.

**"Radiators"—**

A. M. Rawls, captain; H. L. Wheeler, E. C. Kennedy, R. E. Bates, G. F. Poffenberger, G. F. Stearns, E. L.

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Kuhn, H. A. Kavanaugh, H. W. Stauffer.

**"Plowmakers"—**

A. W. Leland, captain; I. B. Potter, W. G. Kent, J. C. Cledon, J. D. Derrinder, J. B. Lennon, J. C. Vezina, Dr. Thompson, L. J. Scriver.

**"Pill Rollers"—**

B. S. Schildberg, captain; A. L. Wilson, B. K. Blank, J. C. Reeder, O. M. Rogers, W. F. Horner, C. E. Smith, Dr. R. L. Saxman, R. C. Wilson.

Tuesday evening, Feb. 24, the first game will be played. The schedule will be out within the next few days and a copy will be placed in the hands of every man in the tournament. The tournament is organized from the Business Men's gym class and as new members join the class they will be assigned to a team.

**TRI-COUNTY TOURNEY.**

Moore's Dixon team in the Tri-County Bowling tournament which has been in progress at the Y. M. C. A. the past week, rolled its games last evening, the scores being:

**Five-Man Team—**

Chapman	162	190	155
Peters	137	202	166
Moerschbacher	120	146	131
Valle	135	163	159
Moore	149	172	152
Totals	703	873	893
Team total, 2449.			
<b>Doubles—</b>			
Peters	121	180	210
Valle	168	179	162
Total, 1111.			
Chapman	165	139	143
Moore	171	168	166
Total, 952.			

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**MORE FARMERS  
SAY THEY WILL  
CUT PRODUCTION**

**P. O. Dept. Receives  
Replies to Its  
Questionnaire.**

By Associated Press Leased Wire Washington, Feb. 19.—Additional replies from farmers to the questionnaire recently sent broadcast by the post office department accentuate the feeling of dissatisfaction expressed in the first forty thousand answers which James I. Blakslee, fourth assistant postmaster general reviewed recently before the senate postoffice committee.

In a letter, made public today, Mr. Blakslee, in urging extension of parcel post facilities, so as to bring producer and consumer into more intimate contact, said:

"The replies to our questionnaire not only indicate a desire on the part of the food producer for improved facilities of transportation and distribution but explain in detail the tremendous difficulties under which the producers are endeavoring to meet the demands made upon them. About 70,000 communications are now at hand and of those who make any comment beyond an explicit answer to our questions there are none who do not complain bitterly of the shortage of labor, of the high price they must pay for the same, of the cost of fertilizer and farm implements, and cite as indication of their attitude that they propose to reduce and suspend production and that they did not propose to labor fourteen and sixteen hours daily, to supply the necessities of life for high paid, short hour, urban resident consumers."

**SCARBORO.**

Glenn Durin was home from over the weekend.

Mrs. John Schoenholz left Sunday evening for the East to visit her parents.

Mrs. Florence Smith returned on Thursday evening from Warrensburg, Ill., where she had spent several weeks visiting her daughter and family.

H. D. Riley is slowly gaining after a couple of weeks' illness of the influenza.

Lewis Durin, who attends school at Mt. Morris, was home over the weekend.

Mrs. Edith Olson was in Mendota Saturday.

Dr. Avery, of Paw Paw, was in town on professional business Saturday. School will open in Scarborough Tuesday.

Margaret Wormley, of Shabbona, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. P. C. Schoenholz.

Mr. Johnson, representing the International Harvester Co., was in town Friday.

The Edw. Kirby family are sick with the influenza.

Several farmers from near town attended the Duroc-Jersey hog sale in Rochelle on Friday.

Services will be held at the church Sunday morning as follows: Sunday school, 10:30 a. m.; preaching at 11:00 a. m., Rev. Mr. Soltman, pastor.

**FRENCH WILL SHOW APPRECIATION**



**School Opens for  
New Women Voters**

By Associated Press Leased Wire Chicago, Feb. 19.—A school for women voters was opened here today under direction of the league of women voters, which closed its annual convention yesterday.

A large number of women who were delegates to the American Woman Suffrage Association convention and are members of the League of Women Voters which succeeded it matriculated in the new school. Arrangements were made for lectures on "Citizenship" with attention directed particularly to the duties of voters. The school will continue for a week.

**LEE CENTER.**

Mrs. Nellie Showell, of Galesburg, Ill., visited her mother, Mrs. Mary Riley, last week.

The funeral of Donald Frost was held at the Congregational church in Lee Center last Wednesday afternoon. His body was buried in Woodsdale cemetery, east of Lee Center. Mrs. Marcia McKay, of Chicago, Mrs. F. Frost, of Sterling, Colo., Wilbur Leake and the Misses Lucille and Mildred Conley, of Dixon, were among those present at the funeral.

Andrew Dunn is very sick with the influenza.

Joseph Vernier and family have moved onto the farm formerly occupied by Ray McCracken.

Oscar Dewey is quite ill. Others who are sick are John Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Emerit Anderson and two of their children, Wm. Oakes and his mother, Mrs. Joseph Oakes, Edith and Floyd Pomroy, Mrs. Mert Herrick, John Sietz, and two of his children and Mrs. Thomas Coryell.

George July and family are moving into A. F. Jeanblanc's tenant home in Lee Center.

Mrs. Martha Miller died suddenly at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Emerit Anderson, last Monday morning. The cause of her death was apoplexy. Mrs. Miller has lived in Lee Center all of her life. Her many friends will mourn her loss.

Harry Lewis and son, Paul, of Grand Meadows, Minn., who have been on a business trip to Chicago, stopped off to visit their relatives and friends in Lee Center last week.

**He'll Wed Secretary  
Lane's Daughter**



PHILIP C. KAUFFMAN

Washington—Philip C. Kauffman will wed Miss Nancy Lane, daughter of Secretary of Interior and Mrs. Franklin K. Lane, April 20. He comes of an old well-known Washington family, and saw active service during most of the war. He was discharged as senior Lieutenant recently.

**Vienna Protests on  
Allied Commission**

By Associated Press Leased Wire Vienna, Feb. 19.—Recent reports stating the allied commission coming to this city would number some 1200 men have led to a storm of protest from newspapers here. It is pointed out the commission will require at least 600 hotel rooms and 200 automobiles and that gasoline is so scarce that the city is unable to operate its ambulances.

Demands that the government request the allies to reduce the size of the mission have been made by several journals.

**CURE FOR PNEUMONIA.**

The following recipe is given as a sure cure for pneumonia: "Take from six to ten onions, chop fine, put in large frying pan over hot fire and add about same amount rye meal or rye flour, with vinegar enough to form a thick paste. Stir and let simmer for ten minutes. Put into cotton bag large enough to well cover the chest, as hot as patient can bear. In ten minutes change and so keep changing until the perspiration starts freely. Usually three or four applications will be enough."

Franklin D. Austin, Bareveld, N. Y.

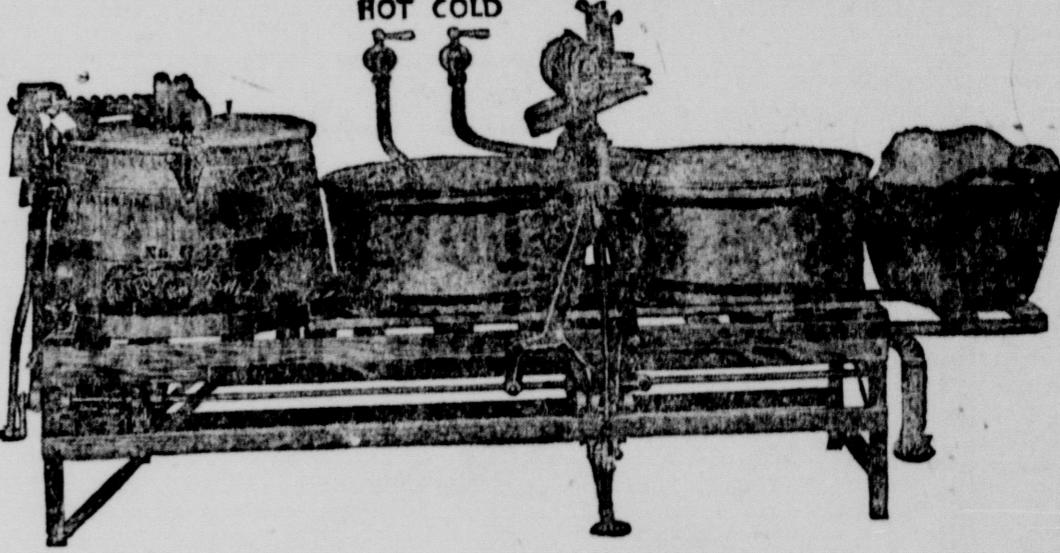
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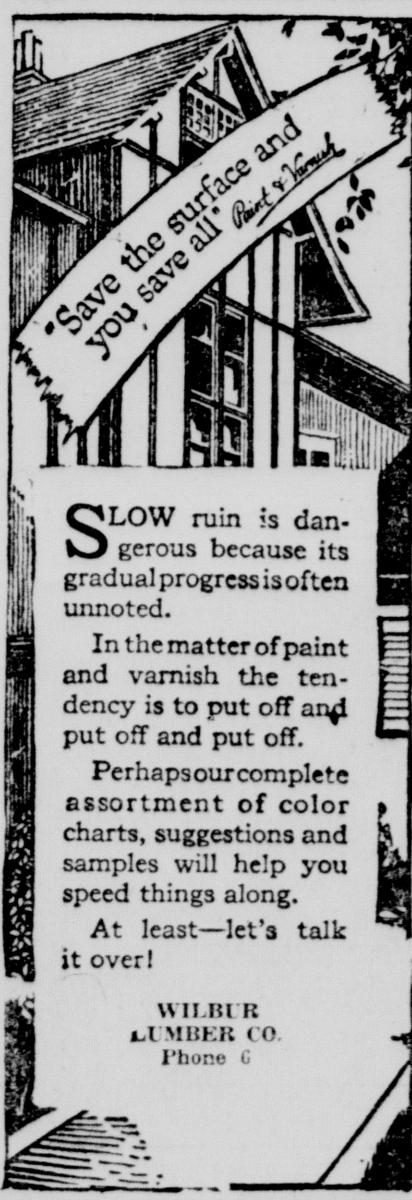
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# THE WOMAN WHO LOVED--AND EARNED

HEARD BEHIND A MASK.

CHAPTER 64.

"You must put on masks, every one of you," she said as we exclaimed over the new Victoria. Then produced the funniest black cotton masks, with no openings save for mouth and nose, and the narrowest slit for eyes. Then we girls had to go into one room and change dresses. Fortunately, we are all nearly of a size, altho I was a little taller than the rest. The men also changed. I thought surely the janitor would come up and have us all arrested, we made so much noise; but Betty said she had told them we were going to be as noisy as we liked for one evening, and Frank added that he had paid him for the privilege, so we need feel no compunctions on that score.

When we were all changed, we danced. Really, no one had the slightest idea who their partner was, and when Robert asked me to dance, I pretended I did not recognize him, and changed my voice to a piping soprano, so he would not know me.

"I'll give you three guesses as to who I am," I said, when I saw he was mystified.

"I know you, Raggedy Ann, even if you do disguise your voice," he said at once. "I know you, you dear, and you might as well own up."

I turned hot, then cold. "You dear," he had called her. It made me determined to keep on fooling him if I could, so I answered in that same thin high voice:

"How do you know I am Raggedy Ann?"

"You can't fool me, Marion."

"Aren't we having a nice time?" I asked.

"Dandy! But I would rather be where we could talk by ourselves."

"Selfish!" I declared, and squeezed his arm just a bit. He was furious when just then someone came along and cried "all change" and I whisked from Robert's arms into those of one of the boys I could not identify, try as I would.

"You are charming tonight, fair lady," the voice behind the mask informed me.

"Truly a compliment," I rejoined with sarcasm, "seeing you have no idea who I am!"

"Oh, but I have!"

"Who then, gracious Knight?" I fell in with his humor.

"The graceful poetess."

"Another guess is needless," I had thought I recognized Gardner's voice though he had tried to disguise it. "I am no poetess. The gods have not been so kind—to me."

If that is so, I am afraid I am too much a stranger to hazard another guess."

"Ah, so it is Mr. Kenyon?" Then: "You give yourself away. There was but one here who could answer to the name of stranger."

"May I not know your name?" he asked. "You dance divinely."

"Indeed you may not. I said just as the 'all change' was called once more, and again I was taken in charge

by another.

I couldn't help feeling a trifle chagrined. I had danced so often with Gardner in the mountains that I thought he might have recognized my dancing. Then I had not tried to change my voice as much as I had with Robert. Of course he meant Mary Ryan, by the "poetess." He had seemed very much taken with her. Had he hoped it was her—instead of me?

I had recognized Marion as wearing Betty's costume, and now saw her dancing with Robert. As Carson swung me past them I heard Robert say:

"Monday night, then."

I heard no more altho I missed the step in trying to hold Carson back. Did Robert know he was dancing with Marion, and was he making an appointment with her? Or was he just pretending to know, and did not? How I wished I could find out.

We unmasked after a time, and then the hilarity broke out afresh.

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Mrs. Kate Fowler and family moved to Decatur on Thursday where they will make their future home.

Miss Mary McGee, R. N., went to Dixon Monday to visit her brother, Attorney George McGee, who was en route to his home in Minon, N. D.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bohmke have moved from Dixon to a farm northwest of this city.

Mrs. O. R. Sherbert and Mrs. H. Kline spent a few days in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Plessner entertained the Misses Tena and Grace Fleschner, of Minon, during the week-end.

Mrs. Orner, of Ashton, and sister, Miss Mary Roat, of Chicago, spent a few days in this city recently.

Glen McCracker, a student at the University of Illinois, was visiting relatives here during his vacation.

Mrs. Chris Ullrich is suffering from a broken leg which she sustained last week when she fell at her home north of town.

Mrs. John Burns was a Dixon visitor on Monday.

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Mrs. Schmick, of Evanston, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. O. Bergemire. Miss Iva Wasson, R. N., of Free-

port, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wasson.

Tony Chiumento, an Illinois Central employee, is very ill of pneumonia at the Amboy House.

Mrs. S. Rossman accompanied L. H. Bishop, her nephew, to Normal recently to make her home for the present.

Mrs. John Foley has been critically ill of pneumonia the past week at her home on the West Side.

Fred Gridley, of the U. L. spent his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gridley. The Jolly-O club will be entertained by Mrs. James Lynch at her residence on Jones St., Feb. 25th.

Dr. W. L. Berryman has recovered from his recent illness and is able to be on duty again.

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Welleott will entertain the Methodist Guild at the home of the former Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 18, at 2:30 o'clock.

Misses Nellie Cahill and Agnes Hogan were Dixon visitors Thursday.

Raymond Smith entertained Leo Dafan, of Mendota, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Grey, of DeKalb, spent the week-end with Mrs. Maud Whitney.

Mr. and Mrs. George Farnum are the parents of a son, born Feb. 5, at their home on West Main St.

The Arene Card club will meet for Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tillman, who expect to move soon to Prairieville.

All those present spent a very enjoyable evening. At a late hour refreshments were served.

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Mrs. W. L. Leech spent a few days

last week in LaSalle and Peru with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Whitlock are about to move from West Brooklyn to a farm near Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bloomquist were ill of the influenza but are now convalescent.

**JORDAN.**

About fifty relatives and friends gathered at the E. H. Tillman home last Thursday evening. The affair was in the nature of a farewell party for Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tillman, who expect to move soon to Prairieville.

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move to Penrose and occupy the house to be vacated by Willis Tilman.

Mr. Hartman shelled corn Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shibley returned Wednesday from a two months' visit in Pennsylvania.

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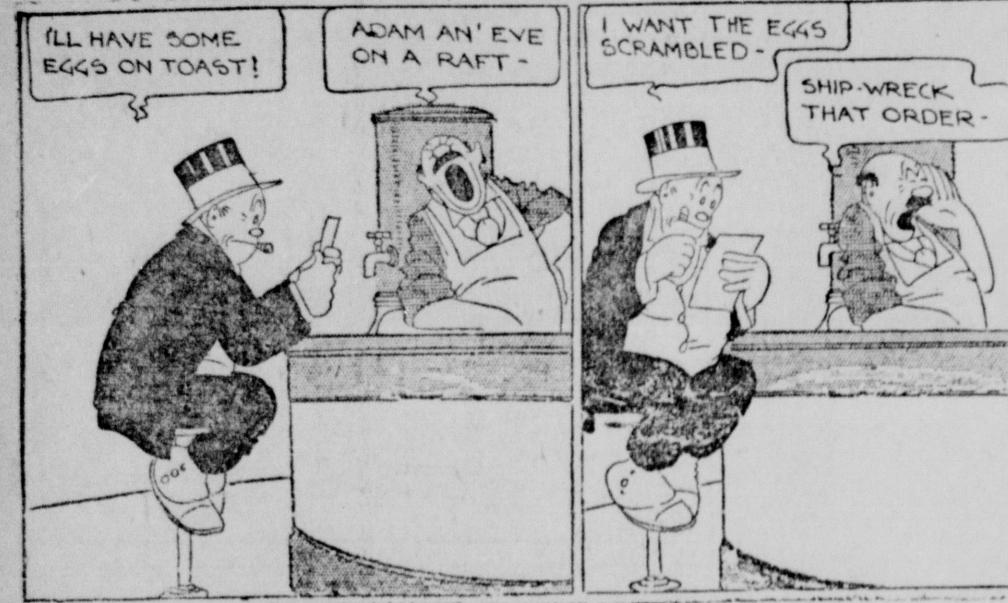
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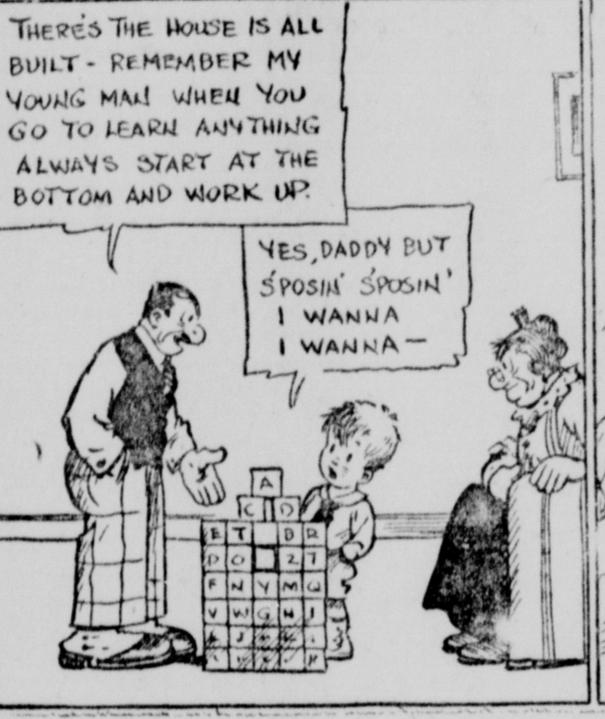
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Danny Gives His Dad an Argument

BY GEO. McMANUS

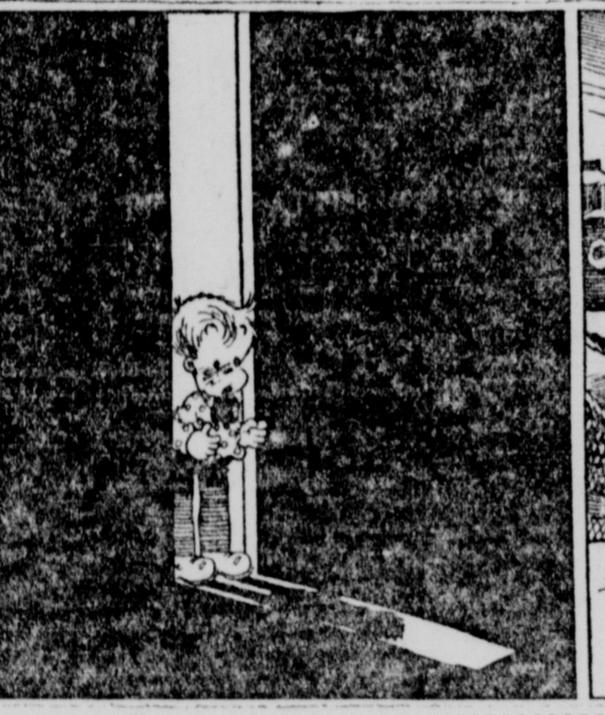
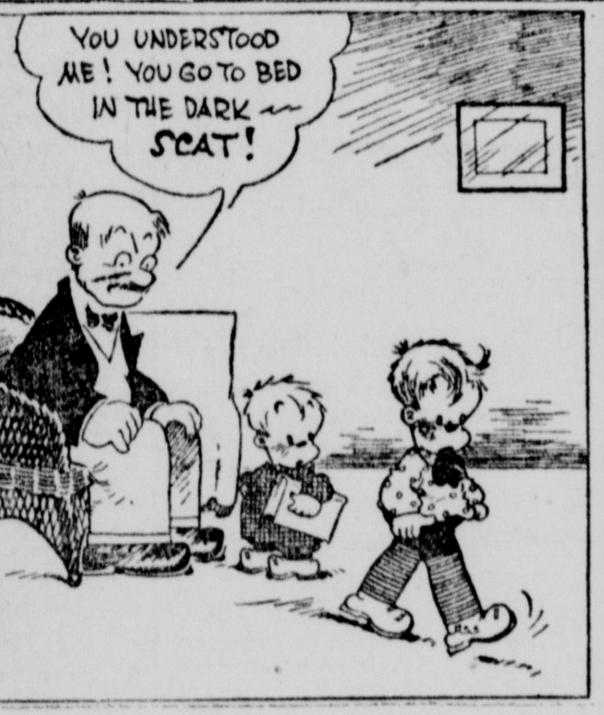
## THE DOINGS OF THE DUFFS



There's No Need to Worry, Grandpa!

BY ALLMAN

## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



BY BLOSSER

## HARMON

Robert O. Briggs, humorist, will appear in Harmon Monday evening, March 1st. Mr. Briggs just can't help being entertaining. He was born and predestined for a platform career. For thirty odd years he has been watching and absorbing all phases of life and he has developed the art of giving what he sees in life so that the other fellow can see it, too. He has lived in the South where the colored brethren are thicker than "cooties" in the trenches and he has smiled at their fun and studied their moods until he has few equals as a delineator of darky dialect and character. Nearly all the material that Mr. Briggs uses in his platform impersonations, readings and cartoons is original with himself, and although his friends know him as "Smiling Bob" Briggs, yet his platform work is not all fun—Briggs knows the serious side of life and just at the moment we may be laughing with him at the funny thing he sees in ourselves and our lives, he brings out one of the noble, eternal truths of life, with force that amazes and compels. He is a distinct power in the entertainment field. Come, see, and hear "Smiling Bob."

Mrs. Anna Swab received a telegram Monday from her brother, Wm. King, at Evanston, stating Mrs. King passed away Sunday at their home with pneumonia, following influenza. Mrs. Swab, who is the teacher at the King school, went to Evanston this evening. The King family were one time well known Harmon residents and the passing of Mrs. King comes as a great shock to the community.

The Charlie Stoenesel family, who recently moved from Montana to Solon, Ill., are guests at the William Stoenesel home.

Lee Tolbot, who has been having a serious time with pneumonia following influenza, seems to be holding his own at the present.

Mrs. Morris Larsen is suffering from catarrhal fever.

Glen Hopkins has recently been stricken with influenza and is very ill.

Clifford Hill motored to Sterling on Monday afternoon to meet his sister, Mrs. Mary Finkenbinder, who will visit relatives at Harmon.

William Kugler, Jr., returned from Stockton where he went to be present

at the marriage of William C. Hill to Miss Florence Simmons.

Miss Stella Long attended the teachers' institute in Dixon Saturday.

Theodore Fitzpatrick was a business caller in Dixon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pliny McCarter are recovering from recent attacks of the influenza.

The William Deitz family are now making satisfactory improvement after being very ill of the influenza.

Frank Garland motored to Sterling on Saturday. His sister, Miss Olive Garland, who is attending the business college, returned home with him for a week-end visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Garland.

Miss Emma O'Brien spent Sunday in Dixon with her sister, Miss Celia O'Brien.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Lane delightedly entertained with a Valentine

party on Saturday evening about 26 guests.

Ellis Kugler spent Sunday at home with his parents.

Clarence Kent is now able to be out of doors after his three weeks' illness.

Miss Ada N. Dewey is once more able to attend to her duties at the Harmon Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Eberly of Metamora are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. August Lapp.

The little seven months' old son of Mr. and Mrs. Richards passed away Wednesday, death resulting from pneumonia. The little one was laid to rest Friday in Greenwood cemetery.

Prof. Gilbert Lehman attended the institute in Dixon, spending the weekend there and returning Monday to take up his school duties.

Mrs. George Ross was a shopper in Sterling Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Talty has moved to Nachusa where they have bought an entirely modern farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Oppee, of Metamora, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. August Lapp.

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III, where he is a student at St. Bede's college.

Miss Elsie McCormick spent Sunday at home.

## COMPTON.

Mrs. Albert Pettys is here from Iowa and is caring for her son, Willard, who is on the sick list.

Misses Marguerite Carnahan and Bernice Krebs were visitors at the Paw Paw High school Thursday and Friday of last week.

Chris July and family spent the day at the Charles Stout home on Monday.

C. L. Ogilvie has purchased the property formerly known as the Gilmore property, owned recently by Amil Bernardin. Mr. Ogilvie is manager of the Moore Lumber Co. business here and the people of Compton and vicinity will be pleased to learn that Mr. Ogilvie and family are to be permanent residents.

Schools opened in Compton and various of the nearby districts Monday morning of this week after being closed on account of the prevailing malady for a week or more.

Mrs. Blanch Stubbs has been visiting home friends here the past week.

Mrs. Charles Bauer entertained her sister, Nellie, last week.

Mrs. Sophia Bennett, who has been sick with a cold on her lungs, is much improved.

Mrs. Al Derr, of West Brooklyn, is assisting at the telephone office this week.

The funeral of B. F. Johnson, a resident of Dixon, was held in the Methodist church of this village, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Burrows, of Amboy, officiated. A Masonic male quartet, composed of Stanley Banks, William Webber, J. S. Archer, and Chester Carnahan, rendered appropriate music. The funeral service was in charge of the Masonic order, with interment at Malugin Grove cemetery. The deceased was well known in this vicinity as he and his family lived on their farm north of town for a number of years before

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The quarantine has been lifted from the L. W. Kutter and Fred Denekas homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Anglemeyer have rented the Calvin Johnson residence on Walnut street for the coming year.

## DIPLOMAT IS RETIRED.

Paris, Monday, Feb. 16.—Jules Cambon, general secretary to the ministry of foreign affairs and former French ambassador to the United States, has been placed upon the retired list, according to the Journal Official today. He will remain a member of the French peace delegation. Lefevre de la Boulaye, first secretary of the embassy in Washington, has been placed in charge of the American section of the foreign ministry.

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